



Class Project Site Selection Summary

Site: Mariner Point Park

Proposed Project Area: Information Center (rain garden)

<u>Pros</u>	<u>Cons</u>
High visibility for education/greeting visitors with an example conservation landscaping/rain garden	Sloped area is a constraint
Chance to go with native plants	Remove existing non-natives
Could be selected for specific wildlife	Install a berm prior to slope
	Trench/reroute the downspouts
Location good – intercept prior to the waterbody	Landscaping is already in place at Mariner – may reduce visibility
Accessible for maintenance	
Available water source for maintenance	Critical Area
Full sun	
Opportunity to replace non-natives	Rain Barrel – more maintenance on site
May be opportunity for conservation landscaping	
Potential Sites for Rain Barrel	

Unknowns:

Actual water flow pattern
Utility placement/constraint
Cost of replacement plants/adding more plants
Other projects to make maintenance easier
Wildlife damage – are there deer problems, etc.
Soils to see if they perc
Can you take up space on the porch?
Permission (Bryce says ok for rain garden. Rain barrel ???)



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